

U.S. Application No.: NEW
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace title with the following title:

"PROCESS FOR COATING COMPONENTS TO BE PAINTED"

Please add the following paragraph after the title:

Cross Reference To Related Application

[0001] This application is a **national stage** of PCT/EP2003/012570 filed November 11, 2003 and based upon DE 102 59 597.6 filed December 19, 2002 under the International Convention.

Please replace paragraph [0008] with the following amended paragraph:

[0008] The solution of this task is proposed by a process ~~having the characteristics of Patent Claim 1.~~ for coating with a polymer a component of fiber reinforced plastic to be painted, the process comprising: modifying a prepolymer with an electrically conductive substance extrudeing the prepolymer, applying the prepolymer onto the component, wherein the prepolymer is pre-cured in a first step and is final cured in a second step by the action of thermal radiation and/or electromagnetic radiation.